

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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10/589,139	08/10/2006	Riccardo Bordignon	BONNP39	5846

Invention	Examiner	Art Unit
Supporting Element for String Musical Instruments	Horn, Robert Wayne	2837

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed October 30, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.